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Peter Rabkin et al.

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STRUCTURE AND METHOD OF
FORMING SAME

Examiner: Junghwa M. Im

Art Unit: 2811

AMENDMENT

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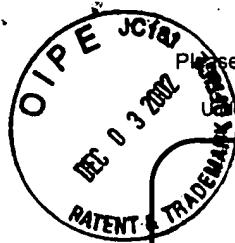
IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 17, 22, 26, and 33 as follows.

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17. A semiconductor non-volatile memory cell comprising:
a first insulating layer over a substrate region;
a first doped polysilicon layer over the first insulating layer;
a first undoped polysilicon layer over and in contact with the first doped polysilicon layer, the first doped and first undoped polysilicon layers forming a floating gate;
a second insulating layer over and in contact with the first undoped polysilicon layer;
a second undoped polysilicon layer over and in contact with the second insulating layer; and

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